



## CIML Decisions

### 41st CIML Meeting 2006.10.18–20

#### 8.3 MAA

The Committee took note of a presentation given by Mrs. Gaucher on the implementation of the MAA, and expressed its appreciation for the work carried out and on the signature of the two first Declarations of Mutual Confidence (DoMCs).

The Committee approved the following Resolutions:

#### MAA Resolution 2006-1:

The BIML shall initially bear the costs of peer assessments and subsequently invoice the peer assessed bodies with a lump sum equal to 1500 € per assessor-day.

#### MAA Resolution 2006-2:

The end of the transitory period during which an OIML Issuing Authority which participates in the R 60 DoMC and/or the R 76 DoMC as a Utilizing Participant or which did not sign the R 60 DoMC and/or the R 76 DoMC will still be authorized to issue OIML Certificates of Conformity according to OIML B 3 outside the scope of the MAA, is provisionally fixed at 31 December 2008.

This deadline will be reviewed by the CIML at its 43rd Meeting based on a BIML report on operation, experience and feedback from industry.

#### MAA Resolution 2006-3:

The CIML endorsed the decision of its President to launch the R 49 DoMC despite the fact that for the moment there was only one potential Issuing Participant.

In addition to these Resolutions, the Committee took note that Issuing Participants in the R 60 and R 76 DoMCs are able to issue basic OIML Certificates (*see the note below*) related to applications for OIML type evaluations received before the publication of the DoMC.

*Note: Basic OIML Certificates are OIML Certificates of Conformity issued according to OIML B 3 outside the scope of the MAA. Certificates issued under the MAA are named "MAA OIML Certificates".*

The CIML instructed TC 3/SC 5 to consider the rules for appointing new Issuing Authorities after the transition period mentioned in the MAA Resolution 2006-2 above, and to propose an appropriate solution for approval by the Committee

## 40th CIML Meeting 2005.06.18–20

### 8.3 MAA

The Committee took note of a report presented by Mrs. Gaucher, MAA Project Leader at the BIML, showing the progress in the implementation of the MAA and the outcome of the first CPR Meeting. Twenty one participants are expected in the first two Declarations of Mutual Confidence related to Load cells and Nonautomatic weighing instruments. Among these participants, eight are expected to be Issuing Participants.

The CPR proposed some clarifications and amendments to OIML Publication B 10-1, which should be submitted to the CIML for voting. The Committee asked the Bureau to submit the CPR proposals, amended according to the comments made at this CIML Meeting and accompanied by a detailed explanatory note, to the CIML for postal approval before the end of 2005. The proposals to be voted on are related to the following issues:

- the signatories of a DoMC;
- the establishment of one CPR for more than one DoMC;
- the CPR voting rules;
- the admission of new participants after a DoMC is signed; and
- the fees for peer assessments.

## 39th CIML Meeting 2004.10.26-29

### 6.3 Implementation of the MAA

The Committee took note of a report on the Workshop held on Sunday 24 October, and approved the proposed decisions annexed to these decisions. The Committee instructed TC 3/SC 5 and the Bureau to start a revision of B 3 and B 10 after some experience of the MAA had been gained. The Committee took note of the draft schedule for the implementation of the MAA.

### ANNEX Rules applicable to the implementation of the OIML MAA

#### 1 Relation between the DoMCs and the former OIML Certificate System

1.1 When an Issuing Authority signs a Declaration of Mutual Confidence (DoMC) in the framework of the MAA, all OIML Certificates and associated test reports issued by this Issuing Authority for the considered category of instruments will then be issued under the particular conditions resulting from its participation in the DoMC. This Issuing Authority will not be allowed to continue to issue Certificates under the sole conditions of the OIML Certificate System.

**1.2** OIML Certificates and associated test reports issued under the conditions of a DoMC will bear a specific OIML logo (to be defined by the BIML), affixed by the Issuing Authority and under its own responsibility. This logo will be the property of the OIML and its use will be authorized by the Bureau to these Issuing Authorities.

**1.3** After a DoMC has been signed, the Bureau will propose at the next CIML Meeting to decide that for this category the OIML Certificate System will be applicable only by signatories of this DoMC and under the conditions of this DoMC. This should come into force on a date defined by the CIML.

**1.4** OIML Certificates that have been issued prior to the establishment of the DoMC or during this transition period according to the previous rules, will continue to appear in the OIML databases published on the OIML web site.

**1.5** OIML Certificates issued under the conditions of a DoMC will be recorded separately and will appear separately in the OIML databases published on the OIML web site.

## **2 Final provisions**

These decisions will be applied for the implementation of the MAA and for the operation of the OIML Certificate System as of 1 January 2005. TC 3/SC 5 will revise Publication B 3 (ex. P 1)

OIML Certificate System for Measuring Instruments according to these decisions and will develop, if necessary, detailed regulations for the implementation of the MAA in order to submit them for CIML approval.

### **ANNEX 2005–2008 Budget**

#### **Approved by the 12th International Conference of Legal Metrology**

<b>Year</b>	<b>2005</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>2007</b>	<b>2008</b>
Registration fee for OIML Certificates outside DoMCs	150 €	153 €	156 €	159 €
Registration fee for OIML Certificate covered by a DoMC	500 €	510 €	520 €	530 €
Fees for examination of the candidacy of an Issuing Authority for a DoMC	1500 €	1530 €	1560 €	1590 €